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SD Secretary of State

State of South Dakota

Statewide Raffle Request

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Note: Raffle tickets cannot be sold until 30 days after filing this form with the SD Secretary of State.

State law provides that any organization that conducts a raffle and tickets or shares for such lottery that are sold statewide shall provide written notice of such lottery to the SD Secretary of State and to the governing body where the drawing for such lottery is held.

Any individual or group who wishes to conduct a raffle needs to provide written notice to the SD Secretary of State before selling any tickets for a raffle. They must also give thirty days written notice of the time and place thereof to the governing body or designated administrative official of the county or municipality in which it intends to conduct the raffle. SDCL 22-25-25(6)

Bingo, as defined in SDCL 22-25-23 or lottery as defined in SDCL 22-25-24 may not be construed as gambling or as a lottery within the meaning of SDCL 22-25-1, if: (1) The bingo game or lottery is conducted by a bona fide congressionally chartered veterans' organization; a religious, charitable, educational, or fraternal organization; a local civic or service club; a political party; a volunteer fire department; or a political action committee or political committee on behalf of any candidate for a political office which exists under the laws of the State of South Dakota.

Organization Name: Stratford American Legion Post #207

Organization Address: **Address:** 311 Nelson Ave

City: Stratford **State:** SD **Zip:** 57474

Contact Name: Vern Prickett

Contact Phone Number: (605) 395-7144

Contact Email Address: kj@nvc.net

Start Date for Ticket Sales: November 18, 2023

End Date for Ticket Sales: January 14, 2024

Date/Time of Drawing: Jan 14, 2024 / 2:00pm

Location for Drawing: **Address:** 293 Rondell Ave

City: Stratford **State:** SD **Zip:** 57474

Cost of Tickets: $10.00

List of Prizes and Value: Night/Day Vision Rifle Scope - $1300.00 value

Proceeds to be used for: Fund American Legion Family programs

Email, Mail or Fax completed form to:

South Dakota Secretary of State
500 East Capitol Avenue, Suite 204
Pierre, SD 57501
Phone: 605.773.3537
Fax: 605.773.6580
Email: sdsos@state.sd.us

South Dakota Secretary of State

Monae L. Johnson
Secretary of State

Thomas J. Deadrick
Deputy Secretary of State

October 17, 2023

Stratford American Legion Post #207
Vern Prickett
311 Nelson Avenue
Stratford SD 57474

Dear Vern,

Our office is in receipt of your statewide raffle request. The date our office received and filed the request is **October 17, 2023**. Pursuant to SDCL 22-25-25, your organization may begin selling tickets no sooner than 30 days following the date of filing, which would be on or after **November 17, 2023**. Per your notification, your raffles will conclude no later **January 14, 2024.**

Should you need to make any revisions or cancel this raffle, please notify our office in writing at the address below.

If there is any other way in which our office could assist you, please feel free to contact me at (605) 773-3537 or email us at sdsos@state.sd.us. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Monae L. Johnson

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South Dakota Secretary of State